National Transportation Safety Board FACTUAL REPORT AVIATION

NTSB ID: DCA05RA096 Aircraft Registration Number: PK-RIM

Occurrence Date: 09/05/2005 Most Critical Injury: Fatal

Occurrence Type: Accident Investigated By:

Location/Time

Nearest City/Place	State	Zip Code	Local Time	Time Zone	
Medan			1004	UTC	
Airport Proximity:	Distance From	om Landing Facility:		Direction Fro	m Airport:

Aircraft Information Summary

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Aircraft Manufacturer	Model/Series	Type of Aircraft
Boeing	B737-200	Airplane

Sightseeing Flight: No Air Medical Transport Flight: No

Narrative

Brief narrative statement of facts, conditions and circumstances pertinent to the accident/incident:

On September 5, 2005 at 1004 local time, a Mandala Airlines B737-200, registration PK-RIM, crashed after takeoff from runway 23 at the Medan-Pollonia airport, Medan, Sumatra, Indonesia into an urban residential area. There were 5 crew and 112 passengers on board. The crew and 96 passengers, along with 44 persons on the ground, were fatally injured; 16 passengers survived.

The flight was destined for Soekarno-Hatta International Airport (CGK), Jakarta, Indonesia. The NTSB, representing the state of manufacture of the aircraft and engines, provided an accredited representative and technical advisors in powerplants and airworthiness, in addition to advisors from Boeing and Pratt & Whitney. Major portions of the airplane were missing from the scene, however the flight recorders were retrieved along with other components of the airplane. The cockpit voice recorder and flight data recorder were read out at the NTSB laboratory in Washington DC under the direction of Indonesian authorities and the data provided to the Indonesian NTSC.

The accident is being investigated by the Indonesian NTSC. Republic of Indonesia
Ministry of Communications
National Transportation Safety Committee
Gedung Karsa Lt. 7
Departemen Perhubungan
Jalan Medan Merdeka Barat No. 8
Jakarta 10110 - Indonesia

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Runway Width										
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Number										
ines:										
Rated Power:										
- Aircraft Inspection Information										
e Total Time										
Hours										
Zip Code										
Zip Code										
Operator Does Business As: - Type of U.S. Certificate(s) Held: None										
Air Carrier Operating Certificate(s):										
Operating Certificate: Operator Certificate:										
Regulation Flight Conducted Under: Non-U.S., Commercial										
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AVIATION				Occurrence Type: Accident									
First Pilot Information													
Name Cit										State	te D	ate of Birth	Age
On File													
Sex:	Seat Occupied:	:	Prir	ncipal Profess	sion:				Cer	rtificate	e Numbe	er:	
Certificate(s):													
Airplane Rating(s):													
Rotorcraft/0	Glider/LTA:												
Instrument	Rating(s):												
Instructor Rating(s):													
Type Ratino	g/Endorsement fo	or Accident/In	cident Aircraf	ft?			Current	t Bienni	ial Flight R	Review	<i>i</i> ?		
Medical Ce	rt.:	Medica	al Cert. Status	s:					Date of La	ast Me	dical Exa	am:	
- Flight Tim	ne Matrix	All A/C	This Make and Model	Airplane Single Engine	Airplane Mult-Engine	Night	Actu	Instrument tual Simulated		R	Rotorcraft	Glider	Lighter Than Air
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Flight Pla	n/Itinerary												
Type of Flig	ght Plan Filed: F	R											
Departure F	Point					S	state	Airport Identifier Departure Time			ure Time	Time Zone	
Medan													
Destination	ı					s	state	Airpo	ort Identifie	er			
Jakarta													
Type of Clearance:													
Type of Airspace:													
Weather Information													
Source of Briefing:													
Method of I	Briefing:												
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Weather Information													
WOF ID	Observation Time	Time Zone	T	WOF Elevati	on	WOF Distance From Accident Site			dent Site		Direction From Accident Site		
				Ft.	MSL				NM		Deg. Mag.		
Sky/Lowes	st Cloud Condition:			Ft. AGL			L	Condition of Light:					
Lowest Ceiling:				Ft. AGL Vis			lity:		SM	Altii	meter: "Hg		
Temperatu	ure: °C [Dew Point:		°C	Wind	Direction:			Density Altitude:				
Wind Spee	ed:	Gusts:		Weather Condtions at Accident S					Site: Visual Conditions				
Visibility (R	RVR): Ft.	Visibility	/ (RVV	')	SM	Intensity	of Precipita	ation:					
Restriction	ns to Visibility:												
Type of Pre	ecipitation:												
Accident	Information												
Aircraft Damage: Destroyed				Aircraft Fire:				Aircraft Exp	losio	n			
Classificati	ion:												
- Injury Su	mmary Matrix	Fatal	Seriou	us Mino	r	None	TOTAL						
First Pi	ilot	1					1						
Second	d Pilot	1					1						
Studen	nt Pilot												
Flight I	nstructor												
Check	Pilot												
Flight E	Engineer												
Cabin /	Attendants	3					3						
Other C													
Passen	ngers	96				16	112						
- TOTAL F	ABOARD -	101				16	117						
Other C	Ground	44					44						
- GRAND	O TOTAL -	145				16	161						
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Administrative Information		
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Investigator-In-Charge (IIC) William English Additional Persons Participating in This Accident/Incident Investigation: Eric West